

Council Meeting 24 July 2018

Agenda Item 8

Vision 2050 – The Big Conversation – Tewkesbury Borough Council Response

Proposed Amendments

1. Amendments proposed by Members at the 2050 response briefing session:
 - I. Section 4 The Vision 2050 Ambitions paragraph 4.5 'Connected' 3rd bullet point – 1st line:

'Gloucestershire's road' to read 'roads' and insert after 'quality' - 'and congested in many'.....
 - II. Section 5.4 'Lydney – Sharpness' 1st bullet point - new bullet point to be added which reads:
 - The Council recognises the transport benefits of a third River Severn crossing in this area, or possibly further upriver, closer to Gloucester where it may provide additional transport infrastructure to the benefit of routes to, through and around the city.
 - III. Section 5.4 Lydney - Sharpness – 1st bullet point as printed to be amended to read:
 - The Council would comment that the bridge and associated growth proposal has not yet been the subject of rigorous feasibility appraisal and suitable evidence will be required to support the deliverability of this idea within Vision 2050.
 - IV. Section 5.4 Lydney – Sharpness – last bullet point to be amended to read:
 - The Council recognises that further investigations into the feasibility of this idea are required and these will need to be linked to the strategic spatial planning process within the County.
 - V. Section 5.6 Cotswold Waterpark – the bullet point to be amended to read:
 - The Council recognises the potential benefits of this proposal to support tourism and economic development in this area of the Cotswolds.
2. Amendment proposed by the Lead Member for Health and Wellbeing:
 - I. Section 4 The Vision 2050 Ambitions paragraph 4.5 'Healthy and Happy' the following additional bullet points to be added:
 - Health and wellbeing will play an increasingly key role in our communities. This ambition should include actions to address the following points.
 - Being active contributes significantly to being healthy and happy and we believe that everyone, regardless of their background or situation, should have the chance to be active in a way that is right for them and overcomes barriers that prevent that i.e. lack of money, time or fear of judgement.
 - As they develop and grow it is important that value is placed on promoting healthy lifestyles from young growing families to our older generations. Bringing communities together and encouraging self-sufficiency by inspiring leadership and teamwork skills particularly through sport.
 - Benefits include improved physical and mental health, relationships, success at school or work, social integration and reduced crime.
 - Working with volunteers and agencies, such as Active Gloucestershire, will help create a social movement and new approach to healthy and happy communities that meet their vision that "everyone in Gloucestershire is active every day".